

**POLICY REGARDING CITY SUPPORT FOR
WEDC COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT INVESTMENT
GRANT APPLICATIONS**

1. The City of Columbus supports the revitalization of downtown and commercial corridors.
2. Property owners in the city desire to rehabilitate their downtown and commercial corridor buildings may apply for a Community Development Investment Grant from the Wisconsin Economic Development Grant
3. WEDC allows only one application per municipality for the application period beginning July 1st and ending June 30th annually and requires a resolution of support from the municipality with the application.
4. The Community Development Authority shall provide a recommendation to the City Council regarding resolutions of support for Community Development Investment grants.
5. The city wants to provide a fair review and access to all applications in a given year and will provide that opportunity by reviewing all applications submitted by March 1st each year.
6. If no applications are received by March 1st, then resolutions of support may be provided on a case-by-case basis and where projects are consistent with the City Comprehensive Plan
7. The applicant shall communicate the grant cycle that the applicant will apply for and the resolution of support if approved will include this information.
8. If the applicant, for whatever reason, decides not to apply during that grant cycle, shall notify the city as soon as possible.